From: <u>Green, Jamie</u>
To: <u>Ridnour, Lacey</u>

Subject: RE: IDALS Detasseling Incident

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Let's talk briefly about this. Thanks Lacey!

From: Ridnour, Lacey

**Sent:** Wednesday, August 02, 2017 4:05 PM **To:** Green, Jamie < Green. Jamie @epa.gov>

**Subject:** IDALS Detasseling Incident

Jamie,

I spoke with Gretchen with IDALS yesterday regarding the alleged WPS-migrant workers aerial application spray drift. She stated that the detasseling crew were in a corn field and the application was made on a soybean field. The application had taken place on July 28. IDALS investigators were able to get out to the field on the same day as the application. The crew consisted of 15 migrant workers that were allegedly sprayed with a fungicide (Priaxor) and an insecticide (Lambda Select). The migrant workers went through a decontainination and statements were collected, along with samples.

I have attached IDALS FY17 human exposure incidences that occurred during last fiscal year regarding human exposure cases and aerial applications.

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